

PHAP12-00015

Date: June 25, 2012

Application Type: Certificate of Appropriateness

Property Owner: Atanacio Arevalo **Representative:** Atanacio Arevalo

Lots 5 & 6, Block 81 Government Hill (3500.00 S), City of El Paso, El

Paso County, Texas

Historic District: Austin Terrace
Location: 4309 Altura Avenue

Representative District: #2

Existing Zoning: R-4/H (Residential/Historic)

Year Built: 1929

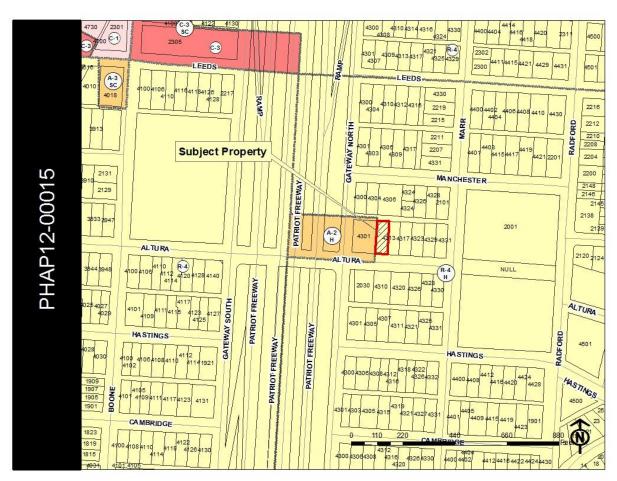
Historic Status: Non-Contributing

Request: Certificate of appropriateness for the installation of a metal canopy in

the rear yard after-the-fact.

Application Filed: 6/12/2012 **45 Day Expiration:** 7/27/2012

ITEM #3



GENERAL INFORMATION:

The applicant seeks approval for:

The installation of a metal canopy in the rear yard after-the-fact.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

The Historic Preservation Office recommends DENIAL of the proposed scope of work based on the following recommendations:

The Magoffin Historic District Design Guidelines recommend the following:

- Same attention to detail should be taken while planning construction for a secondary structure as was taken for the primary structure.
- New additions should be planned so that they are constructed to the rear of the property or on a non-character defining elevation.
- Additions should complement the original structure, but not necessarily attempt to duplicate or copy it.

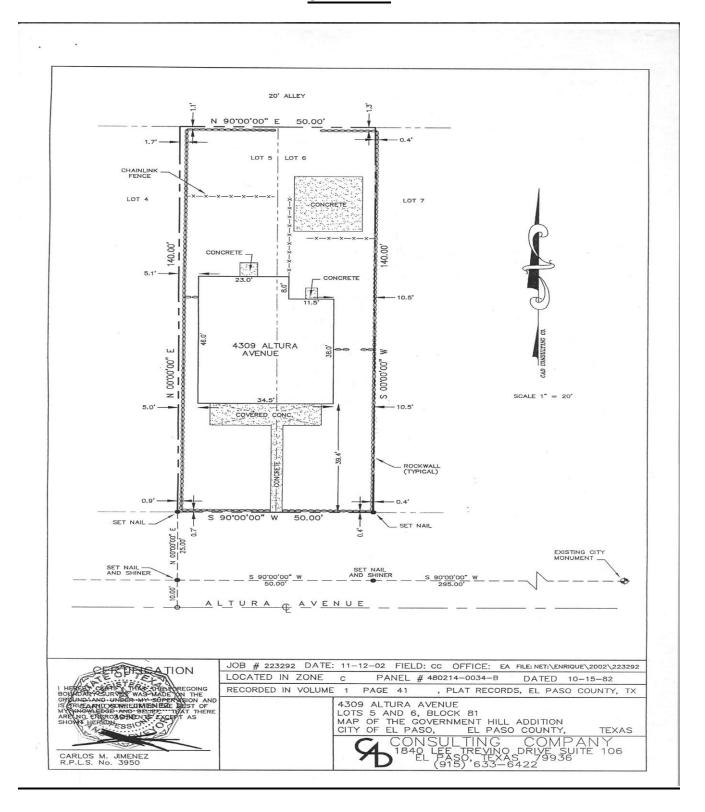
The Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation recommend the following:

• The new work shall be differentiated from the old and will be compatible with historic materials, features, size, scale and proportion.

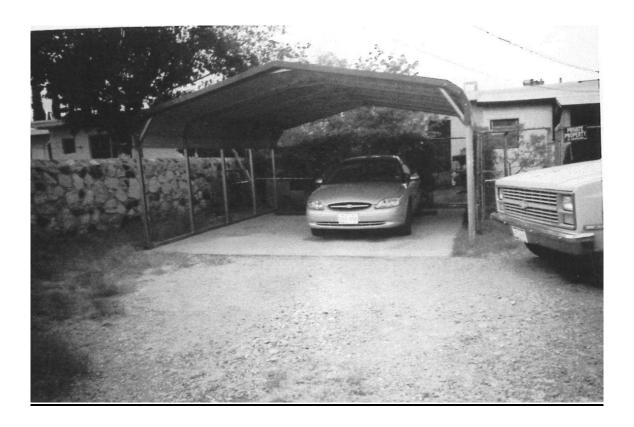
AERIAL MAP



SITE PLAN



PHOTOGRAPH



LETTER FROM AN ENGINEER

Pe PONCE ENGINEERING, INC.

CONSULTING STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING

June 6, 2012

Atanacio Arevalo, Jr. 4309 Altura Ave., #A El Paso, TX 79903

RE: Visual review of existing

Carport metal framed structure

4309 Altura Ave., #A

El Paso, TX

Dear Mr. Arevalo,

This office, as per your request, provided a visual review of the referenced project to determine the structural integrity of the prefab metal framed canopy structure as per your direction. This prefab metal framed canopy structure with a gable roof is 18'-0" wide by 20'-0" long and serves as a carport for your vehicles and as informed was installed about four years ago. This canopy structure is located in the enclosed rear yard area and has a 5'-6" high property rockwall within 6 feet of the canopy on the east side.

The center of the carport has a 9'-0" clear height and slopes to the sides for a clear height of 7'-8". The five galvanized metal tube frames, $2\frac{1}{2}$ "x $2\frac{1}{2}$ "x $1\frac{1}{6}$ "+/-, are equally spaced, approx. 5'-0" apart, and have metal deck roof panels attached with screws that return down the eave side end walls approximately 18". All the metal tube frame connections (at the ridge, eave & base) are bolted. Plus, the continuous $2\frac{1}{2}$ "x $2\frac{1}{2}$ "x $1\frac{1}{6}$ " metal tube base is anchored to the concrete slab or ground with four $\frac{3}{6}$ " dia. anchor bolts equally spaced. All the carport tube frame bolted connections are snug, tight and do not appear to be loose at this time.

Based on the review by this office, the metal framed carport structure was constructed with good workmanship and the structural integrity appears to be sound at this time.

If there are any questions or further information required, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

Ruben Ponce, Jr. Texas #55896

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